

Morrow County Board of DD Strategic Plan 2019-2021

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Our mission: to cultivate a dynamic community where people can make meaningful contributions and lead fulfilling lives

Priorities

Goals

Primary Strategies

Measures

Community

- Ensure transition options are available and appropriate for individuals throughout their life
- Increase opportunities for Community Connections, Self-Determination and Employment

- Work collaboratively with schools to assist students in transition from school to community
- Work collaboratively with Family Children First Council (FCFC) to ensure transition supports are available to children at all stages of transition from birth to age 24
- Increase community employment for individuals of working age by 10% per year
- Increase community involvement for individuals receiving services
- Educate individuals served, families and providers of the benefits and availability of assistive and supportive technology
- Increase self advocacy opportunities
- Increase awareness in our community of the risk for abuse of persons with developmental disabilities

- #students
- #families
- #individuals
- #individuals
- #educational events and materials
- #individuals
- # events and materials

Collaboration

- Increase the number of quality service providers to meet the needs in Morrow County

- Work with the Clearwater Council of Governments (COG) to expand provider capacity into Morrow County
- Provide training opportunities for current and new providers
- Work with the local transportation collaborative to increase affordable and appropriate transportation options
- Plan for privatization of Whetstone Industries

- # providers
- # trainings
- # transportation options
- Timeline established

Continuity

- Ensure sustainability of county board services

- Increase local funding by at least 25% by seeking approval of additional local funding
- Reduce the number of individuals in the county waiting for services

- levy passage
- # individuals

Communication

- Improve messaging throughout the county

- Equip and empower Ambassadors to share Board's mission & purpose utilizing the "3-30-3" tool
- Improve the county board's presence in school districts
- Create a new Speaker's Bureau and plan & track opportunities to share messaging in the community

- #Ambassadors
- #activities and materials
- #speakers and events